DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice	7·47	8·05	seers per rupee.
Ragi ...	13·40	17·53	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort ...		9·20	

Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.

Agricultural operations.—Collecting manure.

Probable outturn of harvests.—Ragi and paddy, yield 12 annas in a rupee.

Cattle are in good condition, but "foot and mouth" disease is prevailing here and there. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Milling of sugar cane in parts of the Bangalore, Dodballapur, Kankanhalli, Magadi, Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks and reaping of paddy in parts of the Bangalore Taluk, are going on.

Standing crops.—Vaisakhi paddy and sugar cane are in good condition.

Crops sown.—Sugar cane in parts of the Bangalore, Magadi and Anekal Taluks and potatoes in parts of the Anekal Taluk.

Crops harvested and their estimated outturn.—Sugar cane in parts of the Bangalore, Dodballapur and Devanhalli Taluks, yield 8 annas, 10 annas and from 4 to 10 annas, respectively.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are sufficiently available. Labor is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Bangalore, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Magadi and Anekal Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all the taluks, except parts of Bangalore where "jarasal roga" and "foot and mouth" diseases are said to be prevailing. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being prepared for paddy cultivation in the Goribidnur Taluk. Sowing in the Chintamani, Mulbagal and Sidlaghatta Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, harvesting in the Mulbagal and Srinivaspur Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk and weeding in the Chintamani Taluk are going on.

Standing crops.—Paddy and sugar cane are in good condition.

Crops sown.—Sugar cane in all the taluks, except Kolar, Bowringpet and Malur.

Crops harvested and their yield.—Sugar cane in all the taluks, except the Kolar Taluk and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield from 8 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good Food stuffs are available. Labor is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in the Kolar Gold Fields, in the towns of Kolar, Mulbagal and Chikballapur and in some villages of the Kolar and Mulbagal Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Excepting parts of Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli and Goribidnur and the Kasaba Hobli of the Mulbagal Taluk, cattle are healthy in other parts of the district. Water and fodder are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *State of standing crops* is good in Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Kunigal, and Turuvekere and fair in Tumkur, Sira, Gubbi, Tiptur, Pavagada and Koratagere.

Crops sown.—Paddy in the Tumkur, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks and the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; sugar cane in the Gubbi Taluk and the Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks.

Crops harvested.—

Paddy in the Sira Taluk.

Horse gram in the Pavagada Taluk.

Bengal gram in the Chiknayakanhalli and Tiptur Taluks.

Sugar cane in the Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks and the Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks.

Haraka in the Pavagada Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague prevailing in parts of the Tumkur, Gubbi, and Kunigal Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Water and fodder are available throughout the district.

MYSORE.

8. Market fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of the Mysore, Hunsur, Gundlupet, T.-Narsipur and Krishnarajpete Taluks.

State of standing crops is reported to be good.

Crops sown.—Green gram and black gram in wet lands in parts of the Seringapatam Taluk, and sugar cane in parts of the Malvalli and Mandya Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane in parts of the Mandya Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Hunsur, Yedatore, Heggaddevankote, Gundlupet, Nanjangud, T.-Narsipur and Malvalli Taluks, measles in parts of the Mysore Taluk and small-pox in parts of the Yedatore Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing and thrashing.

Standing crops.—The following are reported to be in good condition:—

Hassan Taluk—Sugar cane and paddy.

Manjarabad Taluk—Kode paddy.

Belur Taluk—Sugar cane.

Arsikere Taluk—Paddy.

Hole-Narsipur Taluk—Sugar cane and fenugreek.

Alur Sub-Taluk—Sugar cane.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane in parts of the Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks, and Bengal gram and fenugreek in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk, are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Hassan, Arsikere and Channarayapatna Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except in parts of Kanakatte hobli of the Arsikere Taluk, where "foot and mouth" disease is said to be prevailing. It is reported that preventive measures are being adopted to check it. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed for sowing in parts of the Channagiri, Sorab, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks. Sugar cane planting in parts of the Shikarpur and Sorab Taluks and manuring of arecanut trees in the Sagar Taluk are being carried on.

Standing crops.—The following are reported to be in good condition :—

Shikarpur—Sugar cane and castor.

Sorab—Bengal gram, green gram and black gram.

Sagar—Kar paddy.

Crops harvested :—

Shimoga—Bengal gram.

Channagiri—Sugar cane.

Honnali—Wheat, Bengal gram, Yennigar jola, sugar cane, and cotton. The harvesting of the former three is nearing completion.

Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar and Nagar—Sugar cane.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Shimoga Taluk, Tirthahalli town and Balekoppa village in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk, and measles in Sorab town, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "foot and mouth" disease at Kurihosur village in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk, cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in Chikmagalur, Mudgere and Sringeri.

Standing crops.—The following are reported to be in good condition :—

Chikmagalur—Sugar cane, garlic, fenugreek, wheat, castor and kar paddy.
Kadur—Bengal gram, wheat, kar paddy and castor.
Tarikere—Sugar cane, cotton, castor, Bengal gram and Besige jola.
Koppa—Pepper.
Mudgere—Kode paddy.
Yedahalli and Sringeri—Sugar cane.

Crops harvested.—

Chikmagalur—Sugar cane, onions, castor and Bengal gram.
Kadur—Sugar cane, Bengal gram and castor.
Koppa—Pepper.
Yedahalli and Sringeri—Sugar cane.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.

11. Except for plague and small-pox prevailing in a few villages of Chikmagalur, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops,* such as paddy, wheat, chillies, jola, Bengal gram, cotton and sugar cane are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Paddy, jola, Bengal gram and wheat in the Jagalur Taluk.

Crops harvested and their yield.—Bengal gram in the Challakere and Holalkere Taluks, yield 8 annas; chillies, castor and cotton in the Challakere Taluk yield 8 annas; jola in the Holalkere Taluk, yield 8 annas; sugar cane in the Molakalmuru Taluk yield 8 annas; and ragi and navane in the Hosdurga Taluk yield from 12 to 16 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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